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a Deputy's motion by 43 to 35

votes inviting the Government to

reorganise its defence forces and

diminish the War Ministry's expen-

ses; but the War Minister declared

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next day. The Allied Commission

replied demanding a prolongation of

the suspension hostilities, and threa-

ference if fighting were resumed

Later news shows that the Ukranians

carried out their threat by shelling the

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railroad from Lemberg to Cracow.

which disagreed with it.

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UKRANIANS AND POLES.

Yesterday Posen heard from

Warsaw reports that a Ukranian

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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

MR. CHURCHILL'S SPEECH.

Mr. Churchill pointed out that four distinct stages of army development were proceeding at present. Firstly, the great armies of the war were demobilising. Secondly, the armies of occupation, approximately 900,000 men were rapidly being formed compulsorily. Thirdly, a voluntary regular army for the immediate garrisoning of the Empire was being formed out of trained men re-enlisted for one four years. This was growing at the rate of a thousand daily. Fourthly, a permanent post-war army would be built-up out of the new young recruits who when they reached the age of twenty would be sent east to replace wartime soldiers. In addition, voluntary formations must be found to replace our fourteen territorial divisions.

For preceding portions see Earlier Telegrams

LONDON, March 3. In the House of Commons Mr. Churchill, continuing, opined that, in view of our responsibilities the British regular establishment never ought to fall as low as it did in prewar days; but as we did not know what other Powers were going to do, any final decision on our army system must be deferred. Referring to the Allied forces in Russia, Mr. Churchill said an allied army of a certain size, about half of which was British, occupied considerable regions of North Russia, and had their base on the

ports of Murmansk and Archangel These forces were sent there as part of our operations against Germany and we must neglect nothing required for their safety and well being. We had also incurred beavy commitments towards the people of these regions. We also had an army of a certain size in the Caucasus They were sent there in order to ensure that the German-Turkish forces were turned out and remained there to maintain order pending the decision of the Paris Conference regarding the future of the country. We were now holding in some force the railways from Batum towards Baku and the Admiralty had a fleet of armed vessels on the Caspian.

He had words of praise for the gallant services performed by Colonel John Ward with a handful of men on the Omsk front. They became a factor of appreciable importance in It is prepared to send the necessary stemming the tide of Bolshevism from the immense regions of Siberia. in the interior. The enforcement of peace terms called for speedy settlement. We] were holding all the means of coercion ready for immediate use. We were rigorously enforcing the blockade and maintaining strong says a telegram from Prague from armies able to advance at shortest the Czech authorities mentions the notice. Germany was at present discovery of an "anti-Ally espionage on the verge of starvation but plot," directed from the German when she accepted our terms, the Consulate under cover of the Red revictualling of the country and the Cross. supply of necessary raw material could be energetically pursued.

Concluding, Mr. Churchill said that any delay in settling with Germany might be the cause of another great area sinking into anarchy. It would Lemberg that the Ukranians, not-not be possible to withdraw our withstanding the inter-Allied Comarmies of occupation immediately mission's efforts, declined to agree to Germany agreed to our terms, as we an armistice with the Poles, and had got to make sure she would resumed hostilities. carry them out. These armies, moreover, would compel Germany to fired on a special train carrying act rightly towards the new states on the -inter-Allied . Commission from her eastern border, whose continued Lemberg to Warsaw, and severely prosperity was such an important wounded two Polish officers. factor of the whole European problem. He was therefore in favour of German frontier that the Germans maintaining a strong army in the are relattacking all along the line. Rhineland until the future was made clear. He concluded by emphasising the need of not being carried away by success into demanding more than was right or prudent. The finest combination in the world was power and mercy; the worst was weakness and spite. the interruption of the negotiations

### ZIONISM.

The Zionist Delegation in Paris Italian delegates to appint an interhave announced that they are con- allied military commission to enquire Langenberg. fident the Zionist claims which were into the incidents at Laibach. The submitted to the Conference for a Council completed its discussion of reconstitution of the Jewish national the revictualling of Austria-Hungary. home in Palestine will be recognised. Mr. Lloyd George made a statement The details had yet to be worked out regarding the military terms of the but the Zionist ideal had already preliminaries of peace with Gertriumphed. After the Zionist delegal many. tion withdrew from the council chamber of the Conference, Mr.

DESPONDENCY DUE TO Balfour sent them a message con-CONSTIPATION. gratulating them upon the success TX70MEN often become nervous and achieved. M. Tardieu has declared VV. despondent: When this is due to that France does not object to Britain constipation it is easily corrected by taking an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets are easy to take having the mandatory power over Palestine on behalf of the League of and pleasant in effect. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

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(Router's Service to the China Mail.) CANADIAN TROOPS TROUBLE.

OFFICIAL EXPLANATION.

London, March, 7. The Press Bureau on behalf of the London, Mar., 3. overseas military forces of Canada Copenhagen learns from Berlin that issues an official statement regretting the German Government in a lengthy the Kinmel Park incident, particularly manifesto denounces the attempts to in view of the splendid discipline and get rid of the National Assembly. record of the Canadians during the condemns strikes and declares that war period. It explains that only work can save the Empire. Kinmel Park is a concentration area promises socialisation in the case since armistice where troops are suitable industries, and asseverates sorted into drafts according to their a resolve to wage relentless war destination in Canada. The failure of against terrorism. the Ministry of Shipping to furnish Bill was introduced in. to Weimar Assembly nationalising the sufficient ships to carry out the February programme caused great disappointment, and this was chiefly AERIAL POST:

responsible for the disturbances. The chief of the General staff addressed the men in fifteen different places, and it is unlikely there will be further disturbances. There are 15,000 of all ranks in the camp. Many offenders are already arrested, including twelve civilians. Three of the rioters, also two men on picket duty, were killed, and 21, including two officers, were

PORTUGAL: A HINT FOR MANOEL. -

London, March, 3. Lisbon hears that S. Conceiro, the fugitive leader of the Monarchist rebellion, has committed suicide.

### " MALINI.

The only trouble with the Enter that this motion would not influence tainment provided by Malini on the attitude of the government Saturday night, was that we were so mystified and our brain was so bewildered that it is impossible to do justice on paper, and perhaps the highest praise that can be given him, is to urge everyone to go and see for Warsaw heard from Lemberg that the Ukranians had notified on March

Having regard to the fact that that they would resume hostilities absolutely none of the usual paraphernalia of the modern conjuror is used it makes Malini's performance all the more creditable. tening the hostility of the Paris Con-

At the outset Mr. Malini informs his audience that he relies solely on his dexterity. And thus describes his performance exactly—for he starts with two ordinary tumblers, which he makes pass through each other with the greatest of ease, produces cigars, and many other things from The Paris Conference has decided them.

to send a Commission to the Adriatic Then comes the card tricks, Mr. to enquire into the question of food-Malini seems to delight in letting "supplies destined for Czecho-Slovakia. the audience think he is wrong, and when he is told so, he immediately labour to prevent further starvation turns the tables. His last card trick, that of picking out cards which have been chosen by the audience when he is blindfolded is perhaps the latest and most wonderful of modern conjuring.

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to a Hongkong audience. Miss Madge Griffith of the Vanity Fair Company sang four delightful It is reported from the Polish songs, which were very much appre-

His Excellency the Acting Governor and his staff were present.

### FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS.

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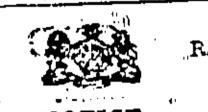
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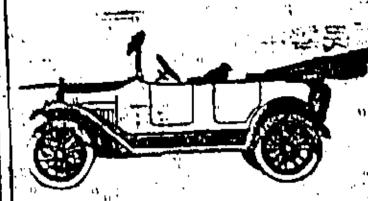
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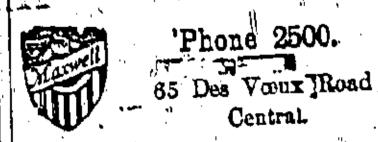
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MONTENEGRO AND SERBIA.

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BEERLESS NEW YEAR JOY.

During the end of the year festivities Swanage, a progressive Dorsel watering place, was a glaring example of the unequal distribution of happiness. The town crier officially proclaimed that there was no beer in the town, but there was plenty at Kingston, five miles away, a tiny hamlet with a population of 300. Swanage during the war has been military activities, among them the

centre of considerable naval and development of the tanks... Inquiries do not indicate that the activities of the tanks are responsible for Swan- boy. They are offensive to good age's predicament.

Following the town crier's an nouncement, pedestrian migration adjusted the anomaly.

FINANCING TRADE.

It is a comfort to know that in the opinion of the Committee over which S.r. R. Vassar-Smith presided the financing of trade in the reconstruction period will be a less difficult job than has been feared. Easy it cannot be, but these high authorities the Committee of the Authors So believe that the necessary financial facilities can be provided by some developments of the existing banking system, combined, perhaps, with the creation of additional new institutions on the lines of the British Trade Corporation. State aid in granting or guarantéeing lours is discountenanced: What is wanted is the restoration of an effective gold stundard which will check undue expansions of credit, and the cessation us soon as possible "of State borrowing, which competes with commercial demands. But "as soon as nossible." is a dangerously vague term, and it is a pity that Sir R. Vassar-Smith and his colleagues did speak out somewhat more plainly about the vital importance of these two recommendations, which practically identical with those of Lord Cunlifie's Committee.

A WELCOME TO SIR D. HAIG.

The following telegram of congratulation was sent by the Dover and East Kent Scottish Society to Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig: Welcome frae Flanders; We ken while we cheer,

If ye hadra been there, Weel-we wildna be here."

PANTOMIMES.

I may be a cynic or a pession at or a pacifist (a good thing at Christmas). or wintever else one generally calls a person with whom one disagrees, but I confess to a really thoroughgoing d'elike of the Christmas pantomime as a mode of artistic expression (O heaven!), as a form of amusement for children and even as a way of spending a wet afternoon, says a writer in Truth. My mood is, in fact, that of a young lady miv acquirintance who, being taken to a pantonime called afte a nursery story with which she was perfectly familiar, and which sh took, properly, very seriously, but pantomime which bore no concel able relation to the story as it written, exclaimed to me, with great force and point, "Why don't they pull down the blind?" The whole convention is detestable. - Man de lights not me, no, nor woman either. Alike to me are the comes brothers, the fairy queen, and the principal

literature-for most fairy stories are good Eterature—and pointless in their desecrations. If any man took the story, let us say, of Lancelot and Guinewere and stuffed it full of irielevant songs, dances, patter and outof date music-hall turns which no self-respecting London music-hall magager would nowadays look at; i he lost the story half-way through and made King Arthur a comic man with a red nose, Lancelot as welldeveloped ludy in tights, and Guineve e an ingenue smothered in " we white," he would be rightly regarded as a criminal lunatic and reported to ciety. Is it any less ridiculous to do the same thing for Cinderella-or, lest I justify the telegraphic address Crusue," and anything

of this paper by appearing to select a particular pantomime when I mean the whole lot, for the "Babes in the For the children there are, happily, the children's plays of the more enterprising and generally smaller managements. They are pleasant, pretty, amusing, and would be altogether praiseworthy if they would give up the vain attempt, to find new plots and take seriously, as the pantomime managers do impudently, the old stories. As for the pantomimes themselves, I leave them; to the connoisseurs of the obsolete to people who like mid-Victorian fustiness and whose ideal of civilisation is the Albert Memorial.

FEAR OF ENTENTE ANGER.

The Vossische Zeitung, commenting on the appearance of the Bolslievik, M. Radek, at the Spartacus Congress in Berlin, says?

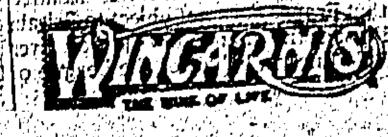
This is an act of unparalleled impudence. The German Government gave M. Rudek no permission to come to Berlin. Nevertheless he has arrived here, and he does not even cons der it necessary to conceal himself. If his presence in Berlin is tolerated this means submission to Russian dictatorship and the first step towards resumption of the war with the Entente, which knows very well what Trotsky and Radek are playing at.

OVERDOING IT.

The following story of a zealous attempt to "keep out the Huns" hus appeared in Truth. In a certain Scotch town there is a handsome concert hall, well known in the North as a musical centre. The interior of this hall was adorned with six panels, bearing the names of Palestrina, Beethoven, Purcell, Gounod, Wagner, and Mendelssohn. The Town Council which controls the hall some time ago decided to get rid of a enemy influence, so they overhauled the panels, and substituted the budges of six Highland regiments. So to get rid of three deceased Germans, one of whom was born a Dutchman, they sacrificed an Italian, a Frenchman, and perhaps the most distinguished of British musicians.

CHEESEPARING.

The details of the grutuity payable' to the petty officers and men of the Navy and Royal Marines have been published. In a general way the lines followed are the same as those of the regulations governing the Army gratuity, but in one important particular a good deal of criticism is likely to be heard. After fixing the basis of the award, provision is made for the addition of 10s. a month (up to forty-eight months) "if the rating has served at sea or overseas," but of only 5s. a month "if the ruting has no such service. crimination is not so strong all it appears to be at first glance, since a single month's service "at sea or overseas" will apparently entitle a man to be placed on the higher rate for the whole period of his war service. The number of ratings of any length of service at all who have not served at see must be so exceedingly small (especially in view of the very broad official interpretation of "soa service ") that it can hardly be worth while to make any differentiation



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> By Order, E, DES VŒUX,

" ( Secretary. Hongkong, March 5, 1919.

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T. DAIGO. Hongkong, March 9, 1919

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### CRICKET IN 1919.

The Daily Telegraph of Jan. 1 had this: At the meeting of the M.C.C. committee to-morrow afternoon the resolution passed by the Advisory Committee of the counties three weeks ago restricting all county matches next season to two days will come up for confirmation. In the ordinary course of events the confirmation would be merely a matter of form, the M.C.C. as a rule letting the counties manage their own affairs without interference. The usual course may, for all one knows to the contrary, be followed to-morrow, but the abolition of the three day's county match means such a departure from the custom of generations that the M.C.C. committee, if disposed to take action, will be fully justified in pointing out to the counties the disadvantages involved in the new

If the counties had been unanimous: in wishing for two-day matches there would, of course, be nothing more to say. Such, however, was far from being the case. A majority was secured but only in face of powerful opposition. Lord Hawke president of the M.C.C. all through the war-spoke strongly in favour of retaining three-day matches, and, though not a county representative at the meeting, he, of course, expressed the view held by Yorkshire. Surrey are at one with Yorkshire on the point, and Kent had no desire for the change determined on. The wishes of three such counties would alone justify the question being reopened. As has been pointed out before, an easy solution of all difficulties could be found in a policy of give-and-take. It is surely not much to ask that counties wanting to play three-day matches should be allowed. to do so, those who believe in the two-day system being left perfectly untrammelled.

The only objection to both plans

ing for three days would have a better All broken, chafed and damaged pack. chance that the others of a real Surrey's reluctance to break away from a tradition that has prevailed for over seventy years. The Oval is Bilis of Lading will be countersigned much more than the headquarters of the Surrey Club. It is a cricket JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Lan. institution only second to Lord's. This being the case, its interests should not be lightly disregarded. The championship need not be taken too seriously. In a more or less experimental season it will be simple matter, without going into decimal fractions, to decide which is

### AN IRISH PETITION.

the best county team.

During President Wilson's visit to Manchester the following petition was presented to him through "the American Ambassador:

Petition to President Wilson

From the Irish clergy and laity resident in Great Britain: "We the Irish clergy numbering 2,000, and the Irish laity to the number of 2,000,000, resident in Great Britain, respectfully appeal to you who are the acknowledged arbiter of the world's freedom to-day, and in whose hands, under God, we feel the future happiness of our country lies, to secure that Ireland, which rightly regards herself and has ever regarded herself as a nation, should be specially represented at the Peace Conference

by delegates from her own people, in the hope that the sense of justice of all the Allies might thus be brought to bear on her centuries old problems, and bring about their only satisfactory solution. We further appeal to you so to use your unique influence that your own righteous principle of self-determination may be applied to Ireland, and thus effect not only her peace, but the peace of England as well." He didn't do it.

### AREITYOU GETTING OLD BEFORE YOUR TIME?

If you feel a growing dissatisfaction with life, and ill health seems to threaten you without the symptoms of any specific disease showing, your nerves are probably undernourished because your

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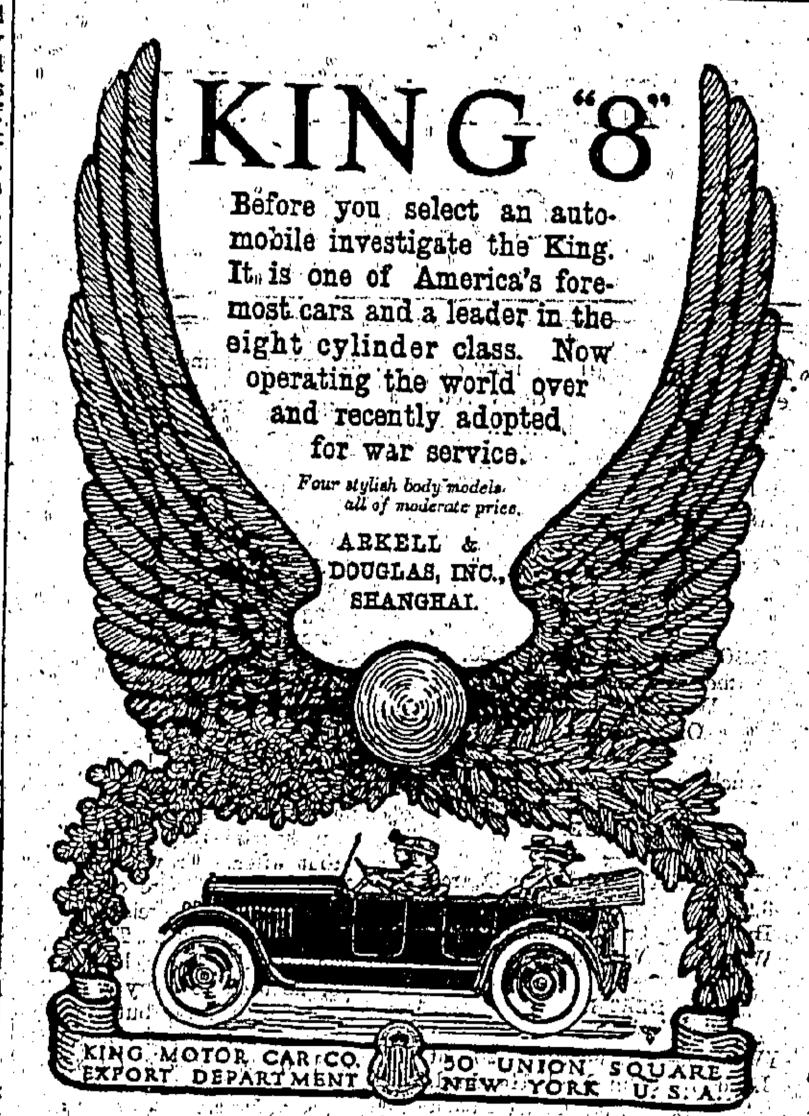
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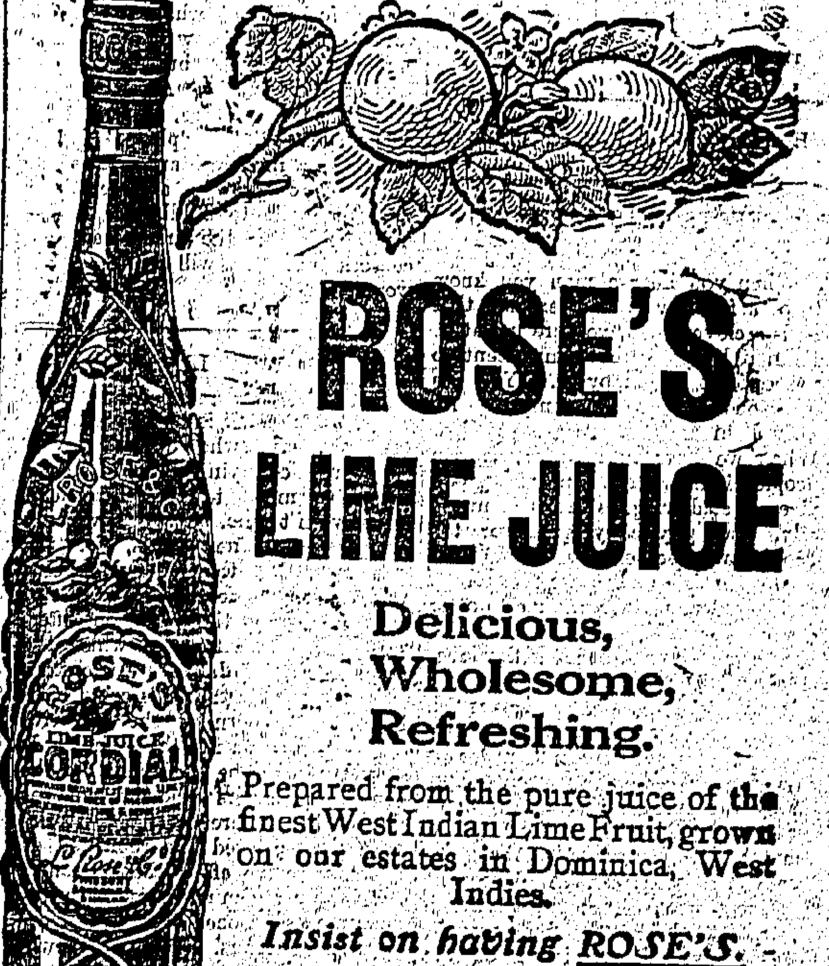
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WEEK THIS

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### BIRTHS.

. ULBOURN,—On February 23, at Shameen, Canton, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Goulbourn, a son. LYNCH .- On March 3, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lynch, a daughter.

### MARRIAGE.

JURTON-WATSON. - On March 3. at Shanghai, Russell William Burton, to Frances Almira Olive Watson, of Vancouver.

### DEATH.

HAYWARD .- On February 20, at London, John Neal Hayward, late Treasurer of China Inland Mission, Shanghai.

### The China Mail. TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, March 10, 1919.

EFFECTS OF SOLDIERING.

When you hear a man you know to be a fool say of another man that he is a clever chap, you are irritated. Even if he pays the compliment to yourself, it is annoying. You are conscious of the presumption involved in a fool daring to judge. When we hear the pro-conscription people claiming that compulsory service, or soldiering, is morally, mentally, and physically good for the people, we feel exactly that way Soldiering is unwholesome mentally and morally, whatever it may do for the physique. Even physically it is hard to see how it benefits the race. since it picks out those who are already physically fit, and leaves too others. Henry W. Mavinson, the ed by the guineas of The Nation to write about the alleged physical and

mental faculties and to lower the pepl: Let the lengwij alown. standard, of intellect." ... Occasional exceptions are found of minds despite of, or perhaps even as a result of, their depressing and debasing surroundings, rising to great heights and

moducing brilliant examples of war time literature; but the general effect or standing or lying in a muddy ditch for hours and days at a stretch, with nothing to see, nothing to think about, and no possibility of doing anything at all, is bound to be that of coursening and lowering the average intellect. . . . I have met

bright prospects—they almost "all Funnel company's gazette. agree that after four years of war they have lost all desire or faculty he says, he used to carry a pocket Ping Shen, and Ng Chang Luk. Shakspeare with him, but in the brief interval between sleeping, eat-

officers have testified similarly. If living. so bad for officers, what of the privates? Bernard Shaw is not always a reputable witness, but all that he says of soldiering in " Arms and the whole ides of "discipline" is to trunsform a man into an automaton. attempt made to diddle the people to-morrow. into overcoming their repugnance to conscription. It will fail. Don't

### WHY LIE?

The China Mail is challenged by a correspondent (who doesn't reveal his name) for saying that the stories about Germans tatooing prisoners' faces wasn't true. "We have only of it. Let George do it." your suy-so," he writes, for the statement that the sailor Mayberry was a liar. As for the Press photo- held a successful dance in the Royal A. Goldenberg, b Wright ....... 18 graphs, showing the snake on differ. Naval Theatre on Saturday night. S. Jex, not out ...... sent sides of his face, to which the There was a good attendance, about Manchester Guardian drew attention, nine sets being managed for the surely you know that this could have square dances. There was a popular happened by turning the negative programme, both modern and old over when preparing the print. It dances being included. The Club Essays on Freedom, has been tempt- should perhaps be explained, for the intend to hold a long night dance on benefit of readers, who did not see the correr reference, that stories mental benefits derived by those en have been printed and reprinted ad gaged in the late war. A Lieutenant nauscem to the effect that prisoners King Manoel of Portugal somehow. Ponsonby-Fane. Anthony wrote from the Front to (plural) were coming Home with dis- It is a wonder the Labour Party has contradict this. I find myself, figurements tatooed on their faces not pointed out the mischief of this after 81 years experience of the by the Germans. Hunted down, man being allowed to wait and watch G. E. Marley, c and b Lammert. army, which I entered from a they resolved to the one case of in comfort while his nationals kill scarcely begun University career at Burton Mayberry, described as a each other more or less on his be-Oxford, entirely unable to agree with ship's fireman, who landed at New- half. He is just as much a provocahim. Lieutenant Anthony goes on castle (it was said) with snakes tion of further trouble as the Kaiser R.A. Ponsonby-Fane, CGrimmett, to say that the whole effect of army latooed on his face. He alleged that and his son will be in Holland.

this was done by two German sailors on a German submarine in mid-Atlantic by order of the German submarine commander, after Mayberry's ship had been torpedoed in April UNIVERSITY. CIVIL SERVICE. 1917. Pictures of Mayberry, showing the head of a cobra on each cheek, even appeared in various illusbrated papers. Note the dute. He made no report to the authorities whatever. On November 18, 1918, he applied for registration as a seaman seeking employment in the British mercantile marine. In his. against them.

### SIMPLIFIED SPELLING.

Professor Walter Ripman told the Simplified Spelling Society in London at the beginning of this year that the Board of Education had sanctionexperiments in simplified spelling. eode of spelling which would present not dialects shut standard speech of the English-speaking race was necessary. It was hoped the American Government would cooperate with the British Government. " Learning to read in the simplifies form was much happier for a child than under the old method." said Miss Walsh, of Honeywell-road

School, Battersea. chawns up sukses, ex we think this Service won by 61 runs. Scores: egzawmpl" wil sfishuntly indikate: Inglish speling iz a wikid biznis, but the China Mail iz kwite kunvinst thet refarm on the leius of the Simplifide Speling Sosiati iz kwe howples. Whot iz the stawnda'd speech, bei the wey?" Oxfud? The Awmy awiser's? That of the men frum Menchister? Or Doblin? hooz? Ez we hev jast rimawkt, the prowject iz wel ment, now dowt, but we aw kweit pawztiny sarting that it ken doo now gud whotevva."

Bei the wei, we supowz it wudent be considered kweit too awfly bed fawm, heah at any rate, to awsk if Profesor Ripman iz wiling to spe-The "China Mail" is now on life, at any rate under war condit hiz given neim ez "Wolter." Owah tions, is to cramp and deaden the edvels mowst emfatikali iz to theez

### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To-day's dollar is worth a far-

They are wondering if that German governess is included in the deportees from Shanghai.

Both the Laomedon and Euryloseveral men who in 1914 were just chus are due here to-morrow, from opening a University career with Liverpool, according to the Blue

The four new directors of the for research, or any exercise of their Bank of East Asia, Ltd, elected on intellect and originality. The Army Saturday afternoon, were Messrs kills originality. For a long time. Chan Kin Ming, P. K. Kwok, Fung,

A blast from the quarry near Bird ...... 14 ing, and duty, La Vie Parisienne Taikoo sent a missile hurtling across Severn ...... 6 "was the only literature that most the path along which a Chinaman UNIVERSITY v. CRAIGENGOWER. of us felt inclined to read, though was walking. It hit the front part | On "the University ground on

21st inst. A wireless message just received states the Empress of Asia There is going to be a determined is expected to arrive at Yokohama

> A Shanghai contemporary in aneditorial says: "The enemy alien is invariably inferior as a waiter or Scores:hotel servant to a self-respecting Englishman, but he penetrated everywhere before the war by the invariable German device of underselling. This is not so. It is almost an adage that Englishmen do not make good waiters. Being English, we are glad

The Dockyard Recreation Club

### LEAGUE CRICKET.

C.R.C. AND E.C.C. WIN.

R.G.A. AT THE HEAD OF THE LEAGUE.

Good progress was made with the application he stated that he had no league fixtures on Saturday when danger is that on discovering the loon were fortunate in defeating the Scores: falsity of these stories, people may Navy, only a good batting display begin to conclude that the Germans by their captain, F. Robinson d'dn't do any of the things alleged winning them the three points. In a very low scoring game the C.R.C. got the verdict against the Manches-

> CIVIL SERVICE v. R. E. On the Civil Service ground on Saturday the R. E. were the visitiors. W. P. Keung, c Clarke, b Allan... The Civil Service batted first, the innings being noteworthy for the consistency of the batsmen. K. K. Wong, b Allan ... Bradbury and Lamble them a good start, and Wood, Bird, Severn and Ling ached double figures. Just after 4 o'clock the innings was declared with 163 for 6 wickets. The Royal Engineers started badly, both Raworth and Waller being dimissed for a single each. With Lawrence and Coles together matters improved. Following this pair Taylor and Wahl made use ful additions to the score but there of the remaining five batsmen had "ducks" registered and the Civil

CIVIL SERVICE. B. W. Bradbury, b Raworth ... 38 P. T. Lamble, b Waller ... R. E. O. Bird, c Taylor, b Waller. A. E. Wood, b Coles ... C. Severn, b Pascall ... . Ling, not out H. E. Strange, l.b.w. b Waller W. H. Edmonds, not out ...

Total (for 6 wkts., dec.) 163

Bowling Analysis. 2.. 10

\*Bowled 1 no ball

Capt. Wahl, b Ling...... 16 for 106. Scores: Sergt. Heath, Severn Spr. Purnell, b Bird ..... Cpl. Pascall, c. Duncan, b Bird ... S. M. Jewsbury, not out ..... Lce-Col. Feakes. b Bird .....

Bowling Analysis.

the more seriously-minded could of his leg well above the knee, and Saturday the three points went to rise to the leading articles of carved its way through. He lost a the home team fairly easily. Craithe continental Daily Mail." Other vast amount of blood, but is still gengower batted first and totalled 133, which, speaking without our book, we believe to be their highest The R.M.S. Empress of Asia left | score this season in league cricket. Vancouver for Hongkong, via Japan | For this they, have chiefly to thank ports, Shanghai and Manila, on Feb. Basa, Arculli and Abbas the first Man," and his preface, is true. The 27, and is due here on or about the three batsmen. and Goldenberg for his runs at the end of the imnings. University batted splendidly, the first 4 batsmen all topping 20, Rumjahn D. M. Goodall, c Kennett, b Hack 1 with 35 being the highest scorer. J. H. Mead, c and b Hack ... ... The necessary runs were scored for C. J. Stapleton, c and b Hack ... the loss of 5 wickets and stumps were drawn with the score 148 for 5.

- GRAIGENGOWER.

R. Basa, c Marley, b Wright ..... 21 MIH. Abbas, b Rumjahn ...... 2. F. G. Thompson, c Basto, b Wright .E. Lammert, c Wright, b Fane. 1 D. Rumjahn, c Lim, b Fane..... W. Grimmett, c Rumjahn, b Fane. U. Omar. c Lim, b Fame..... G. Manley, c Basto, b Wright 

W. Gittens, c Basa, b Grimmett...

A. H. Rumjahn, b Omar ....

J. D. Wright, not out... ... ... D. K. Samy, not dut ...

Total (for 5 wickets) ... 148

Bowling analysis.

Grimmett ... 10 1 Lammert ... ... C.R.C. v. MANCHESTERS.

previous sea service. When he was four matches were played. On the match on the C.R.C. ground. Batting All around the ropes the same state notified to attend to get his certificate University ground Craigengower wickets were down with only 21 on motor cars on the road, while scores located since. A statement has now again failed in batting and all the board. A stand by Ng Sze of Chinese were perched among the been issued by the British Prisoners hope, of their being champions Kwong and Lee altered matters but trees, others were seated on the of War Department, that there was of the league this season have the innings closed for only 89. This hills, and these secured a fine view. no foundation for these stories. Yet vanished. At home the Civil when the Manchesters went in to Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Mrs. and the aginative writers are adding harid Service accounted for the Royal bat the Chinese bowlers, especially Misses Holyoak, Messrs. H.P. White, details. There is so much genuine Engineers and as a result go into Yew Man Tsun, trundled so effective R. M. Dyer, T. E. Pearce, Dr. Foroccasion for complaint against the second league position. The first ly that the soldiers were all out for syth, and many other prominent re-Germans that there is no need to place is occupied by the R.G.A. who 53, Walker and King scoring 43 of invent these atrocities. In fact, the had no fixture on Saturday. Kow- these. The C.R.C. won by 36 runs.

> Yew Man Tsun, b Cavanaugh ... H. Ching, c Bird, b Hall ..... Un Hew Fan, c Keenan, b Hall ... Ng Sze Kwong, 5 Allan "... G. Lee, not out ... Sin Man Ping, b Allan... ... J. Wong, c Clarke, b Cavanaugh... C. F. Lee, b Horrocks ... ... C. W. Kiu, c King, b Allan...

Horrocks

Cpl. Horrocks, c and b Un Hew Pte. Walker, b Yew Man Tsun ... Sergt. Hall, c Ping, b Yew Man Tsun .... ... ... ...

Sec. Lieut. Cavanaugh, c Ching, b Un Hew Fan ... ... ... 13 R. S. M. Keenan, c Wong, b Un Hew Fan ... ... ... ...

30 | Sergt. Clarke, b Yew Man Tsun 8 Lce. Col. Deakin, b Yew Man Tsun 2 Lieut. King, c and b Yew Man Tsun Sara, Duncan, and Knight did not R.Q.M.S. Allan, b Ng Sze Kwong C.Q.M.S. Smith, c Ching, b Yew Man Tsun ... ...

Sergt. Bird, not out

Bowling Analysis.

Yew Man Tsun 10

Ng Sze Kwong 3 K.C.C. v. ROYAL NAVY.

Lieut Raworth, c and b Bird ... 1 match on the K.C.C. ground. Batting Yuk Fong he contributed a shot Lce. Cpl. Waller, b Ling ...... I first the Navy were all dismissed for that was high. Both goals were Stuffs.—The Spartan Products Com-Lee. Cpl. Lawrence, c Bradbuay, b one less than the century, Cary and visited within a few seconds, Rodger pany of the Equitable Building, New Lt.Col.Coles, c Edmonds, b Severn 24 The K.C.C. only just, managed to get had to concede a corner. A draw export connections particularly in Major Taylor, c Lamble, b Bird... 14 the runs, the whole team being out began to look probable when Stewart iron and steel products, machinery,

> Sig. Hack, b James 9 Pay Lieut. Johnston, c and b Overy ... ... E. G. Kennett, b Cochrane Pay Lieut. Holborn, b Overy

F. W. Cary, run out ... Pay Lieut. Robinson, st., Sousa, b James... Sig. Bartlett, not out ... ... 1st Writer Kinchen, b. James Mr. Coomes, c De Sousa,

A. G. Pile, st. De Sousa, b James. Sub. Lt. Lynch, b James Extras ...

## Bowling Analysis

Total ...

I. P. Robinson, st., Holborn, b. Hack ... , ... \*\*\* \*\*\* ... C. P. James, c Bartlett, b Hack... A. de Sousa, c'Robinson, b Pile...

I. D. Birreil, c Robiuson, b Pile... T. M. Cochrane, c Robinson, b 2. Pestonii.c and b Hack ... A. T. W. Dowding, c Cary, b Kennett was group and are five and H. Overy, not out... ... ...

### FOOTBALL THE SHIELD FINAL

It is only about once a year that 2 such a tremendous crowd congregates 0-at the Happy Valley as did on Saturday. The Shield final attracted all classes of the community., Some time before the kick off the limited accommodation in the matshed that Very few runs were scored in this does duty for a stand was packed.

> The Club kicked off and greatest excitement was apparent. After a brief excursion by" the Chinese the Club made headway through Chassels and Stewart Pascoe early tried a shot at goal and there was some disappointment in 32 the stand when the ball hit the bar and went over. Reichelmann followed suit but his hot shot was safely gathered by the Chinese goalkeeper. The Chinese won general admiration for neat footwork, two new forwards at centre and outside right being very clever. Black and Au Kit Sang resumed acquaintance this pair providing a lot of amusement with their encounters. Later Au Kit Sang diddled the burly back and sent

in a fine shot which passed W. over the bar at great speed. "Then Club took up 0 the "running 2 again. Reichelmann appeared 2 have the defence clean beaten but Cheong Wing Hon dashed across and frustrated the forward. The Club were very anxious to score and pressed the Chinese for a long time. chance and delivered a fine shot dence for goal. He eluded the two backs correspondence. the score sheet blank.

alert and Kwok Po Khan threatened danger but Rodger was not troubled being so well covered by Black and McCubbin. Reichelmann was displaying his best form but on the left wing McTavish and Rils worked finely. Riis put across many good centres but these were not improved 6 upon. Clarke on the right wing was placed the Chinese goal in danger. When Reichelmann managed to dis-Low scoring was the rule in this pense with the attentions of Leung and drove in a fast shot that the goalkeeper saved remarkably by getting his foot to the ball rather unexpectedly. Unfortunately for the Chinese the ball went straight to McTavish and to the joy of his confreres he guided the ball safely into the net before the goalkeeper had time to recover himself. There was only five minutes to go and during this time there were two big attacks on the Club goal but it survived the ordeal and when the whistle sounded

them the shield. Result:

McTavish and Riis. South China Athletic.—Lau Hing

Cheong; Cheung Wing Hon, Fung Tai; Chan So, Leung Tai Fong. Leung Yuk Tong; Au Kit Sang, Tin Koon Shun, Tong Fook Cheong, Kwok Po Kan and Ko Sik Wai. A word of praise is due to the Re-

feree, Mr. F. W. Wright, who conrolled the game, admirably but it must be mentioned that despite the great excitement prevailing the players all displayed the best possible

THE PRESENTATION. presented to J. Stewart, the Club shown. captain, then medals to each of the winning team. Next came the Chinese captain, Cheong Wing Hon kong Football Club. Little Miss half. Result:

### 2nd DIVISION MATCHES.

Joan Black handed a bouquet to

83TH CO. R.G.A. v. SOUTH CHINA RES.

Naturally very little interest was evinced in the junior matches. penalty was awarded to the R.G.A. but Dawson failed to score from this gilt-edged opportunity, the ball hitting the csossbar. Shortly after the much in Kowloon's favour and no same player made amends by kicking other goals were scored. Result the ball past the goalkeeper and the

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This the Chinese custodian saved in No. 1031.—Chemicals.—A. A. and nonchalant fashion. Clever work by L.E. Mayer of the Citizens Bank the Chinese forwards caused anxiety Building. New Orleans, La., seek a in the Club defence, Kwok Po Khan Hongkong agent for their line of having possession and made a dash chemicals and acids and invite

but lost the ball when close to goal No. 1032,-Motor Trucks,-The and Rodger ran out a few yards and Panhard Motors, Company of 25 kicked away. Half time arrived with Beaver Street, New York City, seek Hongkong connections for the intro-The Chinese kicked offonresuming. duction of their motor trucks and The Club desence were early on the invite correspondence.

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No. 1035.-Iron and Steel Products: Textiles, Machinery: Food made a great rush down the centre textiles, food stuffs, automobiles, and general merchandise, and a general

line of imports. Hongkong, 6th March, 1919.

### FREDONY AT THE VICTORIA.

This evening at the Victoria a. complete change of programme will time their single goal sufficed to win be submitted by Fredony and his clever company of entertainers. The Hongkong F. C. 1; South China | Cosmopolitan Symphony will be presented in which Fredony will impersonate the foremost composers. Hongkong F. C .- Rodger; Black, past and present, directing the Vic-McCubbin; Chassels, Stewart, Car- toria Orchestra augmented for the riere; Clark, Pascoe, Reichelmann, occasion, in the most notable selections of the great masters.

It is a wonderful combination he presents, the portraits of the composers are flashed on the screen, the audience being afforded a medium of comparison. Fredony claims to be the most prefect impersonator and he will faithfully represent the peculiarities centricities of each individual composer. From the supporting company, Mille Leoma will be seen in a new serie of modern dances and Miss Asta Ericksen who is the possessor of a very sweet soprano voice There was the usual rush to the will render several new items. The stand where Mrs. Holyoak presented first part of the programme, a three the trophies. First the shield was part drama, Circus Mary, will be

who received the runners-up cup. 88th Co. led by this goal at the inter-Cheers were called for Mrs. Holyoak, val. The Chinese were unfortunate South China Athletic and the Hong- in not drawing level in the second 88th Co. R.G.A., 1; South China

STAFF AND DEPTS. v.

KOWLOON.

Kowloon were unfortunate to lose. both points in this match. The Staff scored a goal in the first half by Kirby who accepted a pass from Sherriff. Following this the Kowloon. team pressed the Staff severely but were unable to find the net. In the second half the game was not so

Staff and Depts. A. Kowloon, O.

### KNOCKED DOWN BY MOTOR CAR.

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that his injuries are not 'serious.

### KOWLOON VICAR RESIGNS.

be unable to come out to the East tising "is a sure good thing." And but while they are here they need , and Mr. Dowding does not feel in- he goes into partnership with the have no fear of small audiences so

### CHARLIE CHAPLIN FILMS.

We learn that the Pathe Phono Cinema "Chine Co., have secured at an enormous price, the exclusive rights for China and Indo-China of the million dollars Charlie Chaplin

The contract is made for the eight' pictures that Charlie Chaplin has to produce and for which he is said to receive one million dollars from his American Company.

Up to now two films only have been produced, they are "Shoulder Arms" and "A Dog's Life" and both of these have created great sensation by their inimitable fun.

The Pathe Phono Cinema Chine Co., are expecting the first production, "Shoulder Arms," to be in Hongkong in a very short time and arrangements have already been made to present it to Hongkong Cinema goers.

CORONET

TO-NIGHT!

### THE FRAWLEY COMPANY, "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."

"It Pays to Advertise" was the pushing man of advertising ideas, collision picked up most of the crew. mostly revolves. Rodney is the only of the crew were drowned. The son of a wealthy manufacturer, a junk was a total wreck and his loss wealthy soap king. No necessity to is estimated at \$3,000.

The Rev. A. T. Dowding, M. A. work until he falls in love with Mary. the recently appointed vicar of St, which is a scheme of the father's. Molly Malim in the part of Mary Andrew's Church, Kowloon gave no Mary does'nt really love him (at Greyson did splendidly as the busismall sensation to his congregation the moment) but Rodney is disinheri- ness woman, but like a woman went yesterday when he asked to be re- ted and ousted along with Mary, and really fell in love with Rodney leased from his agreement that he At the opportune moment up comes Martin whose part was very well done night return to England. He said Ambrose Peale brimming over with by Frank Wilcox. The almost inevit- CEALED Tenders, will be received the reason was family trouble. To ideas of business. After some dis- able marriage was forthcoming be- at the R. N. HOSPITAL until his release the congregation cussion it is decided to go in for the tween these two, secretly of course. 10 a.m., on the 20th March, 1919, have consented though with much soap business in opposition to father. As Cyrus Martin, the father, Rey- from persons desirous of supplying regret as during the few There's no capital, no factory, no nolds Denniston was an instant Boof, Mutton, Fowls, Pork, Bread,

retary of the Vestry, when seen by for their "13 soap Unlucky for Countess de Beaurien, and any friction. The cause of Mr. amusing. Finally the advertising also specially deserving of mention Dowding's leaving is purely a dom- campaign gains renown for the soap as indeed were all the company. estic one. The wife and child of and orders begin to flow in but there The others had minor parts but were the vicar have been sick with in- is no soap until father lets them necessary to complete a very fine fluenza and this has left a daughter's have a little from the soap trust. At show. health in such a state that she will last Father is convinced that adver. The company's season is too short

unfortunately those who did not see during the present season.

### STEAMER SINKS JUNK. PASSES ON WITHOUT STOPPING.

Wong Wing Ho, master of fishing very truthful title of Mr. T. Daniel junk No. 1977, reports to the police Frawley's company's play on Satur- that while the junk was drawing up Lee Yau, a Chinese boy, aged 10, day night. This was their second its nets in Chinese waters at about living at No. 48 Queen's Road, West, appearance during their short season 3.30 p.m. on the 8th inst., a large was on Saturday knocked down by at the Theatre Royal. There was a one-funnelled steamer which was motor car No. 75, owned by the fine attendance. The audience had coming from the direction of Heng-Connaught Motor Garage, sustaining plenty of opportunity for merri- kong, collided with the junk which injuries to his head. The boy was ment throughout the evening. There quickly began to fill with water. taken to the station and later re- was'nt a dull moment. The The crew, to the number of 13, were moved to the Hospital. It is thought play has an element of love thrown into the sea. Despite loud and business. The father, Cyrus cries of "save life," the steamer did FIXED DEPOSITS Received. Martin, the son, Rodney Martin, the not stop. Another junk which was stenographer, Mary Greyson, the in the vicinity at the time of the Ambrose Peale, Around these the play including himself. His wife and two

weeks Mr. Dowding has been vicar soap even, but they advertise like. . success. In the character of Ambrose Cheese, Pure Cow's Milk, Asrated he has made himself very popular . . well, as Americans can. As Peale, G. A. Forbes appealed to Waters, Ice, and other provisions, and and everything has been done to Ambrose says "Soap's a clean busi- everybody and was a real live per- necessaries for year ending 31st make him comfortable in his new ness." 'Plenty of fun follows. How sonage. He was responsible for lots March, 1920. surroundings. Mr. G. Martin, Sectitey endeavour to get capital of fuh, Florence Chapman as the the China Mail this morning denies dirt" in which the Countess de Beau- Gordon Blyth, as Ellery Clark, a tha R. N. HOSPITAL. emphatically that there has been rien plays a prominent part is very very foppy kind of person, were

clined to remain out here without new soap firm. It is a thoroughly long as they provide such an entertain-

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TO-NIGHT!

### TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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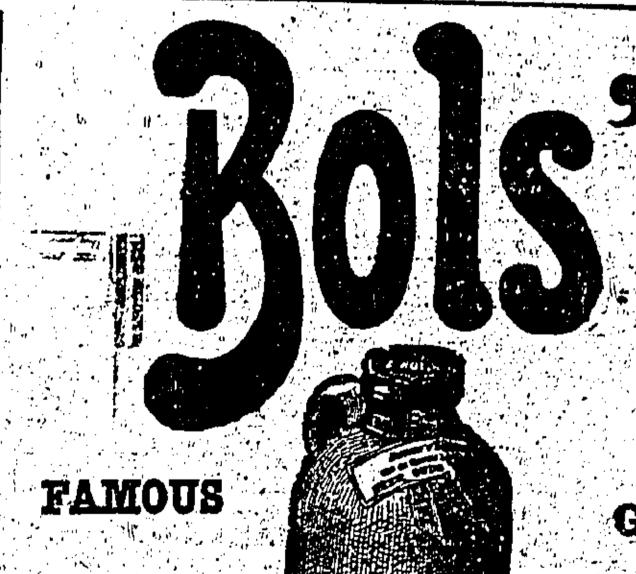
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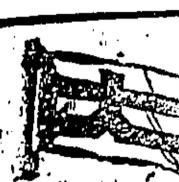
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At this dute the amount reported Hout there is 39,414,402 bushels, of which about two-thirdsels wheat and most of the remainder outs. It will be some time before the exact amounts of the various grains are known." Only a little flaxseed is included, as the north-western crop was again small. All summer flaxseed has been brought up by canal from New York, the cargoes coming from Argentina. It is an odd fact that Buffalo, the largest handler of flaxseed and manufacturer of linseed specialities in the country, has no flaxseed market, and no quotations of it are ever made there.

The Buffalo elevators now have about 14,000,000 bushels of grain. and are not able to take any more except as some is loaded out for rail shipment. About three weeks ago an unexpected thing happened. Suddealy the Government found that it's was in need of more grain than was supposed, and it began to mass cars here and rush it out. This movement continued till about 13,000,000 bushels had been sent to the seaboard, when it appears that the demand ceased or the storage gave out, and now the Buffalo elevators are lidle again. They have not made as very good season, but they will profit all winter by the business they get from the floating cargoes to be handled. Few people outside the truffic centres know how short the supply of grain was all through the midsummer season. Now the harbour is carrying more grain, than ever. before. The amount has not really been approached but once or twice. Out at the long breakwater in a single row are tied up 58 of the entire 117. cargoes. They make such an array that the moving-picture theatres have been using them as the most striking object lesson in business they could find. Taking all the grain intended for winter storage there, and it makes no difference if some of it is already gone, it is all in existence somewhere," the aggregate is about 67,000,000 bushels, or what would grow in a season on about 5,000,000 acres of land, reckoned by wheat fields, or say nearly twice as large ac Connecticut. The lake fleet has brought to Buffalo more than 200,000,000 bushels of grain in a season once or twice: Nobody knows how this vast amount of grain would have been moved were there no lake fleet.

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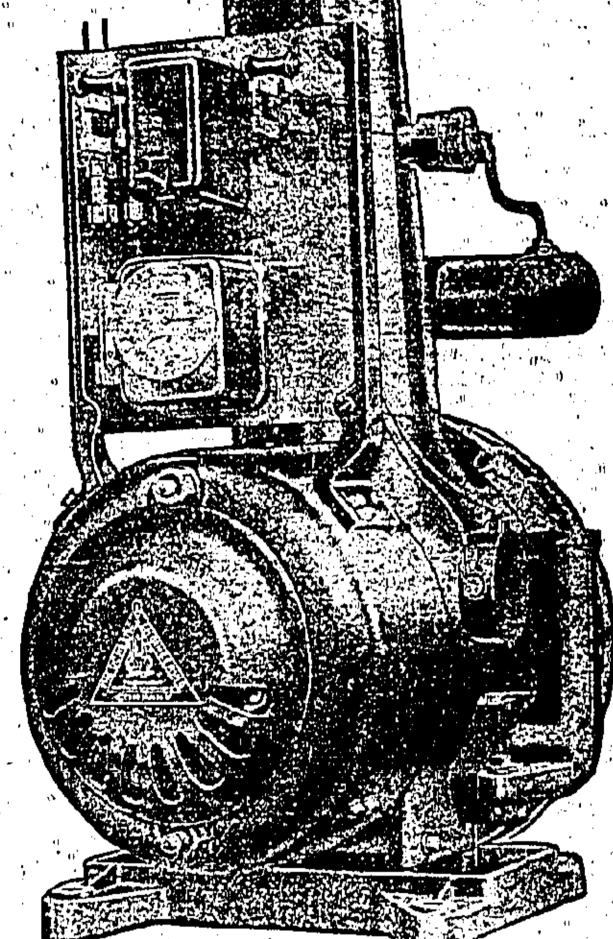
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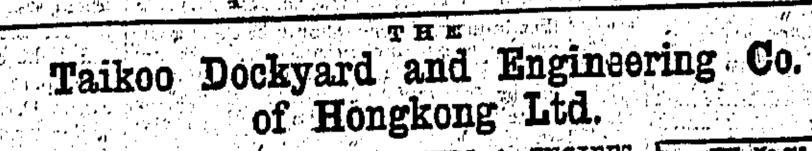
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WASHINGTON, March and. A meeting of Republican senators rejected the proposal to "filibuster" an order to force President Wilson to, call an extra session of the Congress before, he returns from his next visit to Paris, it has been announced, the Pre-

sident has decided not to do. As the present Congress expires March 4th, the extra session would be held by the new Congress in which Republicans would have a amjority.

· Despite the rejection of the proposal several Senators threatened to A filibuster," without the authorisation of the

Party. WASHINGTON, March 3rd. The Custodian of Alien Property .. recommends the continuance of the liquida, tion of enemy-owned property, which is. valued at \$700,000,000, in order to prevent renewed German attempts to secure commercial predominance.

Washington, March 3rd. President Wilson told a delegation of the American Jewish Congress that he was persuaded that the Allied nations, with the fullest American .. concurrence, were agreed that the foundation of the Jewish Commonwealth should be laid in Palestine.

WASHINGTON, March 3rd. d. The criticism against the draft constitution of the League of Nations culminated in an all-night sitting off the Senate, at which a number of Republicans attempted. to hold up the seven-billion-dollar Loan. Bill to finance the Government's present

requirements. The Bill was finally Washington, March 3rd. Permission has been given to the Irish leaders to present their demands to President Wilson at New York on March 4th.

### GERMAN SITUATION.

Balk, March 2nd. A telegram from Weimar states that the National Assembly unanimously passed a motion, submitted by 37 women members, demanding the immediate raising of the economic blockade and the repatriation of prisoners-of-war.

LONDON, March 2nd. The latest news from Germany is somewhat scrappy. The situation, therefore, at present is rather obscure. There has been no confirmation, so far, of the re-port, from Holland that Herr Scheide-

mann has resigned On the other hand, it appears that the report of the attack on the Forwaerts. building in Berlin is not true, while messages from Berlin via Copenhagen state that the Government troops entered Halle, which is quiet.

MOB CLASHES WITH SOLDIERY There have been serious food disturbances in Thorn, where the mob tried to storm the military gaol. Soldiers intervened with machine guns and handgrenades. A number of persons were wounded before order was restored.

BAYARIA. The Soviet Congress at Munich has appointed a Ministry with Hear Segitz as Premier.

Berlin, March 2nd. The printers of three big newspaper printing works have struck work.

Ball. March 2nd. A crowd of soldiers and civilians attempted a nocturnal raid on the barracks and post office at Eisenach. Government roops repulsed the raiders and arrested be ringleaders. The workers in Eisenach have declared a general strike.

BERLIN. BERLIN, March 2nd. Revolutionary dévelopments in Berlin re proceeding with great rapidity

There has been a great Labour movement uring the last few days in favour of he Extremists. Herr Haase expects the eneral strike in Berling to begin on March 3rd. A meeting of the Workmen's Councils ational Congress of Workmen's Couns on March 18th.

RIFTING TOWARDS BOLSHEVISM The Independent Party is considering b-operation with the Spartacists... rmer anticipate the early fall of the niting a common front against the partacists.

### NAVAL LOSSES.

LONDON, March 2nd. Tt, is "authoritatively" stated that the lowing are the war naval losses of the Higerents (including the vessels lost ac. dentally as well as by enemy action):--GREAT BRITAIN.

Battleships ...... 13 Battle-cruisers ...... 3 Monitors ...... Torpedo boats "......10 Submarines ..... 50 The total tonnage of these vessels was

PRANCE. Battleships ..... Torpedo boats ...... 8 Small Craft The total tonnage of these vessels was

TALY. Battleships ..... Monitor ..... Restroyers ..... Torpedo boats ...... 5

total tonnage of these vessels was DOO tons Battleship Cruisers ...... Destroyers. Terpedo-boat

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CHEMANY, Lattle ernisur.

### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

Rauter's Service to the Ohina Mall. AUSTRIA-HUNGARY. Battleships ..... Cruisers",.... Monitors ..... Destroyers .....

Torpedo boats ..... Submarines ...... 8 The total tonnage of these losses was

The total tunnage of the losecs austained by the Central Powers was 415,000. ARMY ESTABLISHMENT.

LONDON, March 1st. A White Paper on the Army Establishment estimates the maximum number serving at Home and abroad, exclusive of India, as 2,500,000. This number is being reduced to 952,000.

Rhine Army, including troops from France and Belgium, will consist, after demobilisation, of 23,600 officers and 280,000 men. The armies in the Middle East will be as follows:-IN ITALY .- 600 officets and 10,000 men. IN BULGARIA, TURKEY, THE CAUCASUS,

BTC .-- 4,850 officers and 75,000 men of the British Army and 1,150 officers and 19,500 men, of the Indian Armya-IN EGYPT AND || PALESTINE, -0,750 officers and 58,500 from the British Army and 2,750 officers and 40,000 from the Indian

### ITALY.

ROME, March 2nd. Chamber, Signor Orlando

stated:-"Italy still believes in the justice her national aspirations. She asks no and cannot accept less, than the re-union of the Italian lands and peoples with their natural frontiers. . " Italy recognises the necessity of equit

able compromise with the essential needs of other peoples. She remains faithful to the Trenty under which she entered the war, but that does not mean she is insensible to the appeal reaching her from the most Italian city of Eiume, which might be exposed to loss of its untionality and independence. (Cheers).

"We do not believe that possible; at the very moment when it is hoped to redeem the world from the memory of violations of the rights of peoples. We persist in the full defence of our rights, consecrated by incalculable sacrifices.'

### RUSSIAN SITUATION.

WARSAW, February, 29th ... The Bolshevista bold two-thirds of the

General Petlura, the Ekrainian Commander, is negotiating with the French at Odessa for help against the Bolshevists. The "Inter-Allied Commission handed General Petlura the terms of the Armistice, which leaves Lemberg and the oilfields in the hands of the Poles. Landon, March 1st.

The latest telegrams bearing on the Russian Bolshevik situation show that, although the movement is progressing in some areas, the Bolsheviks elsewhere are suffering military defeats and encountering other irremediable difficulties under the existing conditions.

STOCKHOLM, March 1st. Reuter's correspondent says that it is reliably reported that the Don Army, mentioned on February 20th, under General Krasnoff, has occupied Saratoff and

LITHUANIANS NEARING VILNA A telegram from Kovno states that the Lithuanians are closely pursuing the tors. She has decided leanings for and this method may recommend. Bolsheviks, whose request for an immediate of hostilities was refused. The Lithuanians are nearing Vilna. A DESPERATE OUTLOOK.

A telegram from Petrograd states that the Bolshevist Commissary of Ways and Communications, speaking at the Soviet Economic Council, stated that the railway situation was alarming. Government only possessed 4,500 service-able locomotives. He foreshadowed the likelihood of the interior of Russia being absolutely deprived of means of communication by the middle of April. PROGRESS IN WEST GALICIA.

On the contrary, it appears that Bolshevistic doctrine is making headway in the South of Poland, especially in West Galicia, where Soviets have been constituted at Cracow and other towns. Soviet troops are approaching Lublin.

### THE WORKING CLASS.

London, March 2nd. The Conference of the delegates of the Railway Clerks' 'Association is dissatisfied with the Railway Executive Committee's interpretation of the Agreement February 4th, in regard to recognition, and have passed a resolution demanding a satisfactory settlement by March 11th. It is stated that the Association has

been advised that the "recognition agreement" would be confined to the Railway Executive Committee, as dividual Companies did not intend being bound thereby.

made by Mr. J. H. Thomas, M.P., Secretary of the Railwaymen's Union, when speaking at Watford this afternoon After emphasising the gravity of the industrial position, Mr. Thomas declared that industrial peace should be their goal, not by sacrificing, principles, forgetting responsibilities, and prostituting power, but by free and full recognition that the State was greater than any section there-

.... If the courage and self-sacrifice that carried us through the war are our guiding principles in the next four weeks, ladies in the chorus. Mr. Robert the dark cloud now overshadowing us will 'Curteis sang " Nuts " in the most the extent which was expected, clear and we shall begin to build upon the approved style. / It was a weally ruins of the past four years a nation splended item, which we hope will be none the less. (Applause.) He had worthy of the people who had done at much for it."

Mr. Appleton, the Secretary of the Federation of Trades Unions, speaking Wimbledon, denounced those, labour agitators who were making people lieve that Government could continue bor. rowing for ever at the war rate. He was convinced that the people's common sense would save them from that illusion: KAISER TREATED "SHAMEFULLY."

Rorrender, March 2nd.
At a gathering, at the lical German Club, in honour of the German troops from East Africa General von Lettow Vorbeck denounced the shameful treat mont of the ex-Kniser by the Patherland . Among the best items were He deslared .- We must stick to the firm foundations of our old Army if the Entherland is again to rise to her former

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### "THE"STUNTS " SUCCESS AT CANTON.

### A PLEASING "YAUDEVILLE PROGRAMME.

That clever company of Hongkong amatours. The Stunte, greatly improved on their reputation on Saturday, when, playing to a growded house at the Canton Club Theatre, they mised such enthusiasm for their efforts as expressed itself in loud and prolonged cheering. Canton is just now in what Mr. J. S. Jam'eson, \$251,000 has purchased the right to C.M.G., Consul-General for Great collect the tax from all butchers Britain, termed the "throes of ex. within twelve miles of Canton. citement." Thombinwley Company acted there on Wednesday and Thursday last; there was a Bache-Stunte" appeared on Saturday; and to-night, to-morrow and on Wednesday, the Vanity Fair Company are performing at the Canton Club thea-"The Stunta." were greeted by a full house, which cheered the performers from beginning to end.

It needs special mention that "The Stunts," of which Mr. P. A. Rosario remains the prohave greatly owing to the great care taken over them by Mr. Robert Curteis: a gentleman who has been connected with the London stage in a professional capacity for over 20 years The programme at Canton showed, him. therefore, a decided step up on previous efforts. That the talent of the Company is not limited to vaudeville will be proved in the near future when "The Stunts" put a musical comedy on the boards.

To return to Saturday's entertain-

ment, and to take the ladies first;

Miss Elfrida Osmund, whom Mr. Jamieson afterwards characterised as the "prima donna" of the Compury, was largely responsible for its success. She sang "Jane for Maiden Lane " in that 'inimitable style that has earned for her the reputation of being the most talented young lady that, takes part in local ders what "The Stunts" would do hold furniture on the streets. audience convulsed with laughter their former rent and on a lease. with the sketch "The Collabora. Rents have been rather high here musical counedy, and with training, itself to Hongkong terants. will make an actress one day. She China Mail does not advise it. danced a weird "Danse Apache" with Mr. Harry Ramsey, and showed

that, like the other young ladies, she

Miss Annie Silva, one of the ori-

ginal "Stunts" of 1016, made a

is a perfect dancer.

very welcome re-appearance, and one feels it high praise to be able to say that she can sing and act and dance well enough to be a member of the present Company. Besides a beautirul voice of great compass, she has a very taking manner on the stage and she was one of Saturday's successes. "One Fleeting Hour" renderedaby her, was an example of how symputhetically, yet sweetly, Carrie Jacobs Bond ought to be interpreted. Besides, Mise Silva was the "life and soul" of "Ita liano," and rendered an all-too short item about sponges and a toothbrushes, while her powerful soprano was heard to distinct advantage in the concerted numbers. The Misses Gertrude and Violet Razavet did not have much to do ... It was a pity that the remarkably fine voice which the former possesses was not made more use of ... She took the leading part A strong plea for industrial peace was in the Indian love lyries. For this item the Company wore what was supposed to be Indian head-dresses and stationed behind a transparent torest scene, they made a very pretty picture indeed, thanks to the splendid light effects. Miss V. Rezavet took purb in a pierette dance with Misses Osmund and Miss D. Razavet. Relatively, the men had little to do, and their items went so well because of the collaboration of the repeated in Hongkong some day. Mr. Harry Ramsey sang "K-K-K-Katy." It was only to be expected for a long time. He had to speak that the song would go well, for the item was rendered in a very humorous manner. One would have wished to hear some of the tonguetwisters with which Mr. Ramsey created such a good impression when the Company made a recent appearance at the Victoria Theatre. Mr Dick, d'Almada, besides, rendering yeomun service at the piano, sang Do you Jove me?" with Miss Osmund, acquitting himself yery well in a role he seemed accustomed to.

Guimaraes songs

"Bachetor Days," the sympathetic

rendering of which cerned him w

### والمنافعة والمنافعة والمارية المنافعة LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Bank of Taiwan is building new branch inside Canton city.

The Canton Police Bureau has

told the gambling houses they must

not permit minors on their premises A new school of motoring has been opened. Full particulars is contained in an advertisment The Wing Ho Company for

The Queen decided to close Queen Mary's Needlework Guild on lors Dance on Friday, which went January 31. Among her silver on tal 4 a.m., on Saturday; "The wedding, gifts were £1,000 from Hongkong.

'Orrible stories of a gory accident. late on Saturday night near the Cricket Field are being told. Neither Police, nor ambulance people know. anything. Perhaps the slaughter is being hushed up. There was certainly much blood.

A Chinese workman was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital on Saturday night, as the result of injuries received while working on the Empress of Russia. Somehow or other a block of granite fell on

### THE "EMPRESS OF RUSSIA."

Despite many rumours to the contrary, it was learnt, officially to-day, that the R.M.S. Empress of Russia sail at noon on the 13th inst. She has her full complement passengers for Europe via Canada.

### CURE FOR HIGH RENTS.

Recently in New York, the ten entertainments. Possessed of great ants of one of the most prominent versatility, with a voice and a stage Apartment Houses went out on manner much above the ordinary, strike," owing to the fact that the Miss Osmund took her audience by Handlords, put up the rents by \$5.00 storm, and each time she appeared to \$6.00 gold. The question naturduring the rest of the long pro- ally arises " How can tenants gramme, the was greated with tumul. strike?" The answer is very simple. tuous applause. She sang alone. They simply moved their houseand with Mr. Dick, d'Almada, she hold goods " on to the street and it danced a fantastic fox trot with Mr. was, reports the New York Herald, A. Ramsey and she played the guitar very amusing to see about sixteen with the Misses Razavet. One wor. pianos, and a good stock of house-

without her. Miss Dolly Razavet, This caused a great deal of news another charming young lady, had a paper publicity and the matter was great deal to do, and did it well. I taken into Court. The tempts were Though she sung, alone, on two occa- told that they would have to move sions, Miss Razavet has a speaking within fourteen days, but they were woice rather than one adapted for obdurate, and after a conference singing, as she proved when, with between the owners and tenants, the Mr. Robert Curteis, she kept the owners agreed to take them back at

One of the most appreciated of the concerted numbers was "The Bells of St. Mary's." This beautiful refrain, which, it will be remembered, was sung for the first time in the Colony by the " Vanity Fair " Company, was quite new to Canton, and, needless to say, it caught on with a vengeance. The item lost nothing in its rendering, the voices blending very well, especially in the chorus. Another item that requires special mention, is that in which Misses Osmund and Razavet showed that their entertaining capabilities extended to playing the mandaline. The audience called loud and long for an encore, for the music they produced

was pleasing, but the performers did not respond. Shortly before the performance concluded. Mr. Jamieson made a short speech from the stage... On behalf of the Canton British War Charities' Committee, he thanked Mr. Rosario, the producer, and Mr. Curteis, who had helped in the :a: heursals, for the excellent entertain: ment. From one point of view, it was . to be regretted that "The Stunts " had visited them when Canton was in the throes of excitement, with a bewildering succession of entertainments, but he was sure he was voicing the sentiments of all present when he said that they could not have wished for a better entertainment. The galaxy of beauty and telent filled them with delight, and, even if the Fund did not benefit to "The Stunte "descrived their thanks no hesitation in saying it was the making special mention of their Osmund. As British subjects he had to thank them for the loyalty which prompted them to give the show in Canton in aid the War Charities' Fund. (Loud applause.)

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### CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG BILLIARD CHAM-PIONSHIP. .

(To the Editor of the " China Mail. ").

Dear Sir,-I shall be much obliged if you will kindly publish in next issue the following games of 750 up to be played in the semi-final commencing each day at 8 p.m.:-

On Tuesday, the 11th March, P. A. Yvanovich will meet K. K. Leung and from the bast performance of both players in the present tournament, this will undoubtedly be should not miss this opportunity.

Yvanovich drew a bye in the first round and defeated C.S.M. Goodman in a most convincing manner in the second round, contrary to general heat Cupt. E. B. Green in one of the fustest games played in the tourna-

Leung, it will be remembered, beat Gunner Lord last year in an exhibition game of 300 up, and in this year's Championship defeated Sergt. Pitt easily in the first round.

On Wednesday, the 12th March Sergt. Drummond will meet the winner of to-night's (10/8/19) game between J. Parkes and E. Guirnavaes. It is generally expected that Gujmaraes will beat Parkes, and bis meeting with Drummond will be of considerable interest in view of the relative merits of the players.

Drummond has been much before the public recently in exhibition matches at the Palace Hotel and by defeating S. Gray in the second round of the Championship recently his chances are good of reaching the

The Final (1000 up) will take place on Friday, March 14, commencing at 6 p.m. and there will be an hour's interval for dinner at 500. Reserved seats for the final (\$2) can be booked at The Anderson Music Co.—Yours

A. McKirdy, Hon. Sec., SUGGESTION FOR OUR VICTORY CELEBRATION.

(To the Editor of the !" China Mail."

Club should be utilized for an ortiste sours appear to take great pleasure memorial building that will harmon- in now and them bringing out the ize with the Court House, and peross | cars to the centre of the road, as if the square the Queen's and Prince's for exercise. buildings. This encompasses the

development."

the theatre or library or such could as to speed. occupy the front space before the expectations. In the third round he Club, or, the Hongkong Club could the police to see to the safety of lives dispose of their present site and erect and timbs of pedestrians, by properly area in front," while the new building ties. to the rear as suggested on the pre-Holyoak's scheme.

adapted to the usage of the public them be taken out, say, to the Happy and dedicated to our fallen heroes is Valley and have practical demonstraimportance should be the civic orna- at 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 miles an hour.

March 8, 1919.

TRAFFIC AND DEATH.

(To the Editor of the " China Mail."

Sir.—Death by accident was the verdict of the Jury in the Coroner's. Inquiry held on the death of a child eight years of age knocked down by a motor-car during the Races: Long before the Inquiry was held, we knew that the verdict would be such, was | Mail Steamship Company announcing not the child a Chinese one?

Police has issued a proclamation on the regulation of truffic in the Colony but for all practical purposes, might just as well have printed it vessels, the present high rate of in Greek. How many, I ask of the exchange makes the local currency Sir,—In the many propositions coolies are capable of reading, not that are bound to be presented as a to say, anything about the Chinese war memorial I beg to offer one basic women who flock to the market suggestion, viz., that any scheme every day in the morning and after- cabins and attractive arrangements' shan have as its keynote the civic moon. It is all very well to say that offers an unusually favourable opporbetterment of Hongkong, and Statue pedestrians are to walk on the foot- tunity to see Manila at a very small Square is the one logical location. paths where such exist; I will chall cost and without much time. The Few cities, if any, in the Orient lenge anyone to walk undisturbed ship has a Filipino String Orchestra contain such a beautiful neuclus to on the footpaths in Des Vœux Road which will contribute much to the build upon, and in my opinion the Central. There are garages galore entertainment of the passengers for

"The untortunate pedestrian who is square that can be made very beauti- | walking along the footpath is forced ful leaving the far end for definite to move to the centre of the road, to meet, perhaps, two tramcars, one The writer suggests that along Des going and one coming; he may, at Voux Road is equally necessary of the same time, hear behind him the architectural treatment. To one side tooting of un auto whose spirited is the bandsome building of the driver is taking an airing at anything Hongkong & Shanghai Bank. If a over twenty miles an hour. A policenew building contiguous to the Bank man, may be standing under the by closing the intervening street and verandah opposite staring as is by carrying on the same or similar stupified at so much life and at the architectural treatment, this would acrobatio feats that the pedestrian is afford a background to the whole performing to save his life. If the setting that would make Statue pedestrian happens to be an old man Square the equal in hearty of any-for a child, he is run down, and at thing similar in the world perhaps the Coroner's Inquiry, the chauffeur and a civic ornamentation that all will swear that he did sound his splendid game. Billiard enthusiasts Hongkong would be justly proud of. horn, which is a truth, and that he . This new building could be com- was going at the rate of 8 or 10 miles mercial, with banks, offices, etc., or an hour, which is a ke. The policehouse a theatre, "library and museum | man opposite cannot serve as a witas suggested by Mr. Holyonk. Else ness, he has not the slightest idea

I maintain that it is the duty of a beautiful new Club House on the regulating the truffic in busy locali-

There is no reason why the Into sent City Hall site could house Mr. dian the Chinese and even the European policemen should not be As a worthy memorial a building well trained in speed-judging. Let the logical solution, but, of greater | tions of cars running round the course mentation obtained by the proper After a few such demonstrations, grouping and treatment about they can be told to judge for them-Statue Square as a lasting and selves and those who show themworthy memorial to stand glorious selves proficient, can be detailed to do duty in places of much traffic.

> I appeal to the Powers that be to take the matter into consideration. and not, let us hammer always on cold iron.-Yours, etc.,

John Kestnel March 9, 1919.

THE "C. M. "NANKING."

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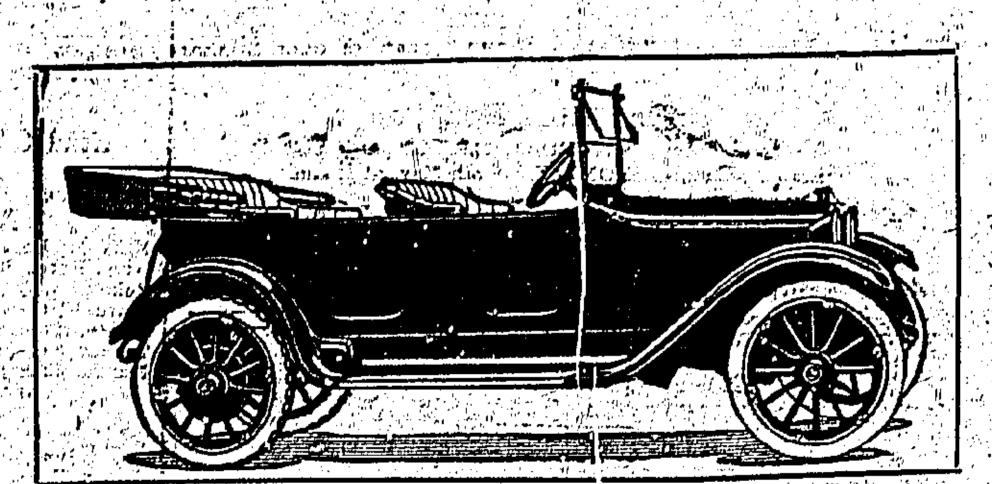
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### Business conditions in U.S.A.

FRAUDULENT SECURITIES. That the period of transition from a war to a peace basis in this country will afford many opportunities of foisting "worthless and fraudulent injuring legitimate business and destroying that eagerness for investments which the Liberty Loan eninpaigns have stimulated, is recognized by the Capital Issues Committee of the War Finance Corporation, which has discontinued its activities and will remain inachive unless conditions should require that it resume is supervision of capital issues. Mr. Glass, who has succeeded Mr. McAdov as Secretary of the Treasury, holds to the same view as to securities. He will ask Congress for such securities, but which will

on legitimate business.

A THE DYE INDUSTRY # decomposate are disclosed in a very favourable light in the report by Dr. [through a well established and N. L. King, of the Artificial Dyes. and Interpredictes Section of the to eliminate unemployment and the War Industries Board, on the dye and intermediate situation in this country. The dye industry there before the war was practically limited to the assembling of dyes from intermediates manufactured in Germarry: When the German supply was cut off, the American cossar makers were thrown upon the rown . resummes with the regult that " probably \$100,000,000 of capital have Been invested in this business since the beginning of the war, and to-day mearly all of the intermediates neves sary too the dyes are being made or a commercial scale. The dye maker's work is not yet complete. but he has created approximately 200 dyes equal in every respect in shade, scefigth, and working quality to the pre-way types, and he has made them from American ray materials and American intermedirates in quantity and variety suffimient to keep, the textile mills in operation.

### THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

The failure of the United States Snipping Board to make any definite suggestion as to the solution of the American merchant marine has inability of shippers to get proper. prompted the American Shipping service from the railroads, express Association, whose membership comprises, practically all the leading of which are under the management stemmship lines of the country, to of the Government. request from the Board an expression of the policy contemplated " not only with respect to the same under recuisition, but also as to the disposi- 80,000,000 bushels than any previous tion of the Shipping Board's vessels, erop in American agricultural hisand, as to the general situation of the tory, is forecast by the Department country's mercantile marine." It is of Agriculture. During the season suggested that American exporters 49,027,000 acres were "planted, an zere being handleapped by the want increase of 15.9 per cent. over last of an announcement of the Covern- year. The condition reported as of ment's policy. Shipping men desire December 1, is the best ever reportthe restoration of requisitioned vessied, averaging there than 98:63 per

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RE-ABSORBING LABOUR.

constructive work along this line. A consumed. conference is to be held next week in Washington at which courses will be given to a selected list of field" workers who will in turn carry instruction into all the States. The the same time impose no restrictions lobject is to standardize the use of a consum agency under the Governmont for labour distribution and placement. Assistant Director-Gen-American enterprise and ability to eral Smyth says the Service is " looking forward to the time when, efficiently co-ordinated chain of labour exchanges, we can do much retardation of production. ...

" GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP.

Postimister-General Burleson has written a long letter to the Chairman of, the House, Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads in supno that a resolution to extend the control of the Gevernment over the t degraphs and telephones. The present controls would, under existing law, cease with the proclamation of pence. The Postmaster-General supports his recommendation with an extended argument in favour of Clovernment ownership of these utilities, and says that such ownership may be acquired without the expenditure of any money by the Government through use of the difference octween whatait costs the Government to borrow money and the return upon the investment under private ownership. This difference, applied to the maintenance of any mayment for the telegraph and telephone systerns, would liquidate the indebtedness to the owners in eighteen years and nine months, according to Mr. Buileson. Apropos of the whole proposition a recent canvass of manufacturers and others on trade conditions by the Merchants' Association of New York shows that a controlling factor in the present situation is the communies, and the Post Office, all

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sels and the abandonment of Federal cent. of d normal in the States which control as soon as practicable. They have sown more than a million acros. point out that Great Britain is stead. Washington showed an increase of ily relinquishing control of requisi- 185 per cent, in acreage, and tioned ships and that there is a pro- Jown a 100 per cont. increase. The spect of America losing new mar- total production is estimated at kets through British exporters get- 705,000,000 bushels, and with an average spring wheat crop total production for 1919 should go beyond a billion bushels and exceed The plane, in which National the record crop of 1915. Secretary and Shite Covernments, employers of Agriculture Houston and the Food and employes are co-operating, for Administration have recommended the re-employment." of discharged legislation to Congress to make effecsecurities upon the public, thereby soldiers, sailors, and war work- live the wheat price guarantee for give promise not only of a the 1919 crop and at the same time satisfactory settlement of this pro- to safeguard the Government against blem for the moment, but also of a losses. It is urged that the date for solution of those difficulties which the Government purchase of the 1919 normally arise in industry because crop be extended beyond June of rectional simpluses or scarcities of 1920; that the Food Administration's labour. It appears that progress is Grain Corporation be continued or new being made toward an effective some new agency created to buy, use of this country's usually large store, and sell 1919 wheat that may floating population. The theory be offered to the Government; and is that such a floating popular that legislation be enacted to protect 7.30's.m. tion may "function as a stabil- the Government against wheat or izer of conditions if it can be flour imported during the guaranteed properly directed. The United price period, and also to protect States Employment Service of the buyers of such wheat as long as the Department of Lubour is undertaking wheat is in the country and not

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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Remer's Service to the China Mail.)

(Continued from Page 8.) PARLIAMENT.

MR. CHURCHILL'S ARMY ESTIMATES.

LONDON, March 3rd. The House of Commons, this week, tackles the heavy war expenditure. It begins with the Army Estimates to-day. It is believed that the budget will total

LONDON, March 3rd. In the House of Commons, Mr. Churchill, introducing the Army Estimates, amounting to 1237,000,000, emphasised the difficulties of training Estimates this year, because every factor was uncertain and inctuating, as we were half-way beto as the rate of demobilisation. We neither knew what arrangements affect- The Reparation Committee's report will ing arman, ats would be embodied in the be considered at an early date by the Peace Treaty, nor how many men we must keep in the Middle East and on the Rhine, or for how long. Wendid not countries should be required to pay the name, of the Germans would accept aggregate amount—twenty-four thousand our conditions or retuse them, and throw million sterling—paying a portion now responsibility for the future upon us, and the balance being spread over a and simply degenerate.

Mr. Churchill emphasized that vast press of Europe and the East were in a state of anarchy, and the Allies, on whom world to get to work again, were themsolves very seriously exhausted. To all these difficulties must be added the enormous effort of winding up the war. The present estimates represented maximum. He hoped it would be possible to revise them in a downward direction. He mentioned that the Allies were still discussing the exact amount of contributions from Germany towards the npkeep of the Armies of the Rhine. DEMOBILISATION.

three out of four men were being released! and the fourth man being paid double to finish the job was less objectionable, and entailed fewer hardships, than any other course. All evidence showed that the plan had been well received, owing to its fairness. It had been followed by the recovery of discipline and moral in the Army. He hoped, in a few months, that we would possess strong compact Armies, which would enable us to guard the secure the truits we had won through the

Already, nearly 1,800,000 officers and nien had been demobilised; and the process was continuing at the rate of over 20,000 daily. In addition, about 100,000 the British and American experts, but good tennis was seen in the match Canadians and Australians had been sent the French still make reservations against home and it had been arranged that every the scheme. Dominion soldier who had come over should have a chance of one visit to the Mother Country, before returning to his own Dominion. (Cheers). There were about half-a-million men in theatres such no India and North Africa from which at was impossible, physically, to release men, although they did not belong to the plass retained in the Army.

ARMIES IN THE NEAR EAST. Continuing, Mr. Churchill said that in Mesopotamia, Palestine, the Caucasus, and Turbey, the process of release was ampeded by difficulties of transportation, Las the number affected was not very darge, and was constantly diminishing. He proposed that all men eligible should sal peace on the most important questions Capt. H. E. Marray (recs., 3-6). released, but, any, unavoidably re- of the war. brought home for good.

RELIEF "GARRISONS. voluntary army for Home and Overseas was well maintained. There were already 45,000 trained men, besides 5,000 new young recruits. The task of building up this force was a very considerable onc. because the units for re-constitution included 514 Artillery units, 183 Royal Engineer units, and 158 Infantry battalions. The men would proceed, as soon as units had been formed, to the relief of .. Oversea garrisons.

IMPERIAL DEFENCE. Mr. Churchill sketched the plans for relieving the Rhine Army, in case the " Armies of Occupation had to be maintained during the whole or part of 1920." , He then raised problems regarding the BIZO : ... . ... mposition of a permanent postwar erner, its strategic distribution as 720vers u mew forms of warfare and considerations, pecially what part the Army of India would the general system of Imperial deterce; also how the relationship should be strengthened between the

Mavy, Army, and Air Services. He pointed out the necessity to develop new tyre of officers who would make all classes of war their province, and be drawn from every part of the Empire. [For continuation see To-day's Telegrams.]

MADRID, March 2nd. The city is quiet. The machine guns have been withdrawn from the streets. The carnival is proceeding normally.

HYDE PARK REVIEW.

MEW ARMY OF OCCUPATION.

LOPDON. March 1st. There was an imposing military pageani at Hyde Parm idia biternoon. 11.111.

A SPARTACIST MOVE.

Courant February 27th. The Spacenoists, attempting to promote dica fection in the lastic distri- In their home-lands, they could perform thuted hand hills in the representative for the official residences of the representations.

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PARIS CONFERENCE.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S RETURN.

Paris, March 2nd. It has been provisionally arranged that President Wilson will land at Brest about March 13th, and proceed direct to Paris: The great Powers will then consider the preliminary Peace Treaty till, about March 22nd. It is unticipated that such progress will be made as to enable the assembling of the Peace Congress, with the Germans present, between April 1st

THE TERMS TO BE IMPOSED. The Treaty to be presented to the Congress will include the military, naval. financial, and economic terms to be im;

REPARATION COMMITTEE'S

period of 25 to 35 years.

HOW GERMANY SHOULD PAY. The French delegation is of the opinion that the enemy powers should immediately pay a thousand million sterling, partly in merchandise, material and tonnage, partly in foreign securities, and partly

GERMAN'S TIMBER REPARATION. The estimate of the timber Germany should supply to the Allies as reparation is valued at approximately £80,000,000. PARIS, March 2nd. The military terms of peace presented | g

to the Council of Ten by Marshal Foch yesterday provide for the disarmament Mr. Churchill, dealing with demobilisa- of Germany down to 20" Divisions, each tion, maintained that the plan by which of 10,000 men, including fifteen infantry and five cavalry Divisions. The terms also impose severe restrictions on the manufacture of all classes

of war material and the limitation of military and commercial use of aeroplanes to a minimum. TERMINATION OF SUBMARINE

Marshal Foch's naval terms, now before the Council, provide not only for the complete suppression of Germany's subinterests and safety of the country, and marine equipment but the termination of all submarine warfare. DESTRUCTION OF GERMAN

WARSHIPS. The proposal for the destruction of the large German warships is approved by far from expectations. Some very MR. BALFÖUR TÄLKS.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, interviewed by played this afternoon: Club Handi-PARIS, March 2nd. Reuter's representative, replying to cri- cap Doubles.-L. Forster and E. ticism that the Conference had accom- Wilkin (recs. 4/6) v. R. Wingfield) plished nothing, emphasised the complexi- and J. K. McConnell (recs. 15.3):. ty and difficulty of the preliminary work in the greatest task ever undertaken by

It was the policy of the Conference to press for the fastest possible preliminary peace with Germany. He hoped that before the end of March we should be in sight of such a preliminary peace, which would be a great stride towards univer-

The share which the United States was H. Piercy (recs. 15) v. E. A. Macincreased pay until discharged. "A going to take in the world's future was donald (recs. 2/6). recuire effort would be made to give a one of immense responsibility. At present targer preportion of leave to the Armics this share rested on the American public. of Gocupation. Men who had not seen their Only half of America's war task would be homes for years would get leave, or be accomplished if she took no share in the

even greater labours of peace. He expressed the opinion that what was Referring to the rapid formation of a going on in America now was as important for the success of the Conference as what was going on in Paris, and the New World should play at least as great a part in future international organisations as the old historic countries Europe and the Middle East.

The foundations had been well dug in Paris during the last seven weeks, and beore another seven weeks were passed something great would actually be accomplish. ed, and we would be able to see a complete solution of the great task GREEK AFFAIRS.

Panis, March 2nd: As regards the work of the territorial Commissions of the Peace Conference, the Commission on Greek Affairs yesterday lengthily debated the new situation to be

created in Asia Minor. The general plan adopted, for the dissolution of the Ottoman Empire, is the total elimination of that Empire. internationalisation of Constantinople and the Straits, the creation of a Turkish State in the centre of Asia Minor, and the liberation of all nationalities from

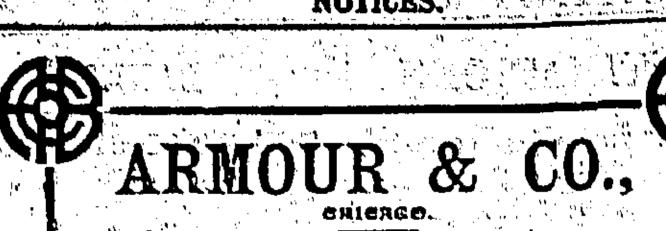
As regarda Asia Minor, the Commission, in principle, has decided that the Coast strip between Avali and Cos. cluding Smyrna and Ephesus, shall be assigned to Greece as the full owner or as an international mandatory.

DOMINION GUARDS.

PROPOSED NEW REGIMENT.

LONDON. March 3rd. Endorsing the widely-held opinion regarding the formation of a regiment of Dominions Guards, the Daily Graphic says:-Would it not be appropriate to signalise the high fighting qualities of our Overseas soldiers by creating a regument of Dominions' Guarda ! . . . . . .

The Brigade of Guards have certain prithe King (on herseback) and the Queen vilege which would ensure for that innova-(in a carriage), attended by Prince tion universal approval, as well as the Arthur of Connaught, Generals Robert appreciation of Oversens people, and such son, Macdonagh, and Birdwood, and the a regiment would round off in the happi-Maharaja of Bikanir, reviewed fourteen est manner the establishment of Housebattalions of young soldiers prior to their hold troops, giving them a unit thorough-departure for the Rhine. Hugo crowds by typical of the Empire of a whole. It witnessed the review in the bright sunto issue a Royal Warrant, sufficient men to form the first Dominions' Guards would be at once forthcoming from the war-tried soldiers of Canada, from the Apzac troops, and from those of Bouth Africa-They earned much distinction as thoroughly as any regiment in the British Army. The brind-bill hearing which sold sentatives of the King those duties which the Guards discharge in connection with dead, royal palaces here in But, at stated b ... British of their periods, companies should be selected for perty short periods of service in the Mother-



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TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Three matches were played on Saturday afternoon on the Cricket Ground, the following being the esults:--

Open Doubles' Championship. Corpl. R. Townsend and E. Crocker defeated T. Mashima and W. H Sakuma. 6-0, 6-2, 6-3. Club Handicap Singles "A" Class.

L. Forster (recs. 1/6) beat Dessau (recs 15-3), 6-1, 6-0. Club Handicap Singles "B" Class. W.W. Mackenzie (recs. 4/6) beat R.M. Henderson (owes 3/6), 10-8, 6-4 As will be seen from the above results the first two matches were

very poor, the Japanese pair being between W. W. Mackenzie and R.M. Henderson. The following matches are to be

Open Championship Singles .-- R Townsend v. V. Yvanovich. Open Doubles Championship.—A

. Claxton and A. H. Crook v. M. K Lo and M. W. Lo. Handicap Singles, "A" Class, A B. Raworth (recs. 1/6) v. Capt. Gray (recs. 15.1); N. E. Kent (owes 15) v.

Handicap Singles, "B" Class.—G.

PRESUMABLY.

Mainichi is to be credited many wild becoming an object of ridicule and rumours hostile to Japan are current laughter of his fellow passengers. there. Rumours represent Sino-1 so far concluded regarding the purhave refused to accept Chinese cargo, manner? Do you think the fact that among the Chinese.

sentenced to six weeks hard labour. by Magistrate Lindsell for picking and applause. the pocket of one of his countrymen on Saturday last whilst watching, a juggling performance. The complainant stated that he was carrying a child on his arm and only had twenty cents in his jacket pocket. A detective saw the prisoner edge up to the complainant and put his hand in his pocket. He was immediately arrested, and the sum in question found in his possession.

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CHARGED WITH BRIBERY

Chung Ah Yui, a former Employee of the Sanitary Board, was charged this afternoon with accepting a bribe from the owner of a Chinese Restaurant. The prosecution was in charge of Inspector Ward, and Mr-P. W. Goldring represented the accused.-Mr. Gibson was the first Straits-Per NELLORE. witness called and testified to the duties the accused had to perform. The case was [proceeding when this

A CHINESE PEPYS.

paper went to press.

The North-China Daily News has Shanghai and North China-Per been luck enough to receive this exquisite letter: SIR,-I beg to inform Straits. Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, you that this morning, while jumping up a tram-car which was ploughing its way along Sinza Road, I met a typical "Kiangpenese" (probably a dishanded soldier of the deposed notorious general of China, Chang Hsun) wearing a pig-tail.

Being the only person on the car possessing such a fine relic of the defunct Manchu Dynasty, I told him to cut off his "Bien Tze." Whereupon he immediately rolled up his queue around his quixotic pate. I knew prefty well that in so doing,

If a Hongkong dispatch to the he was trying to save himself from Swatow, Later on owing to the congested

Japanese relations as if they were at condition of the car which necesa crisis. It is alleged that, owing to sitated him to occupy too much of the strained diplomatic relations be- my room. I ordered him with the tween the two countries, all contacts | epithet of "Bien Tze" to give room.

In great exasperation he answered: chase of rice, etc, have been cancelled \_\_" How the dickens you have by Japan, that Japanese steamers accosted me in this ungentlemanly and that these Japanese vestels will I have worn a queue shows that I be recalled to Japan shortly. These am a real 'Chook Bien Tze' (literrumours presumably are prevalent ally translated, it means a crooked Shanghai queue or a big fool)?"

As a result of this funny accident and the logical expressions he had A Chinese, was this morning made, all of the passengers on the car broke out into a loud laughter

One of the gentlemen told him to quit his pigtail at his earliest possible moment, so as to save his life: whereas another called him by the name of "Han Kian" (a traitor to the sons of

As to myself, I could not help laughing to such an extent, so that I was obliged to hold my sides and dropped to the nearest seat to support myself.

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INWARD MAILS.

WEDNESDAY, March 12. FRIDAY, March 21. Canada—EMPRESS OF ASIA.

OUTWARD MAILS:

TUESDAY, March 11. Haiphong-Per CHONGVA, 8 a.m. Shanghai and North China-Per PAK

WO, 0 a.m. Shanghai and North China - Per NINGPO, 10 a m.

KWANGSE, 10 a.m. South Africa. India via Dhanushkodi, Bombay, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Suez-Per YUBARI MARU. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.

Sandakan-Per MAUSANG, 10 a.m. Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa India Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUR-OPE via Suez-Per HYSON. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters

> 10.30 a.m. The Parcel Mail will be closed to-day at 5 p.m. Amoy and Foochow-Per

HAITAN, 1 p.m. and North China-Per SINKIANG, 3 p.m. Japan via Yokohama—Per TJILATJAP,

Straits and Bangkok-Per TOYO MARU No. 3, 3 p.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Bombay. Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Suez-Per KOFUKU MARU. Registration 4.15 p.m. Letters 5 p.m. and North China-Per

TYNDARINS, 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY, March 12. Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUROPE via Suez Per GLENIFFER. Re-

gistration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Tientsin-Per KUEICHOW 2 p.m. Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Takao-Per SOSHU MARU, 5 p.m.

THURSDAY, March 13. Fort Bayard, Hoihow and Haiphong-Per SONG MA, 9 a.m.

Swatow and Straits-Per CHINHUA 9 a.m. Shanghai and North China - Per SUIYANG, 10 a.m.

via Nagasoki-Per NELLORE Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.

Shanghai, North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Canada, United States, Central and South America, and EUROPE, via Vancouver-Per EMPRESS OF RUSSIA. Registration 9.45 a.m Letters 10.30 a.m. FRIDAY, March 14. Philippine Islands—Per YUENSANG

2 p.m. SATURDAY, March 15. Shanghai and North China - Per CHENAN, 2 p.m.

SUNDAY, March 16. Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Keclung -Per AMAKUSA MARU, 9 a.m. MONDAY, March 17.

Philippine Islands, Japan via Moji Canada, United States, Central and outh America — Per CANADA MARU\_Registration 11.46 a.m. Letters 12.30 p.m. TUENDAY, March 18. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAI-

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